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Applicant : Andreas Jakob et al.  
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Title : METHOD FOR ESTABLISHING A DETACHABLE MECHANICAL  
AND/OR ELECTRICAL CONNECTION  
  
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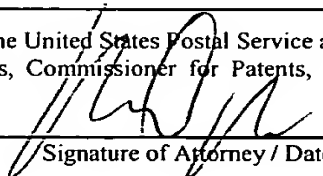
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